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EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED  
EXAMINING GROUP 3621  
PATENT**

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
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Akira OGINO et al. ) Group Art Unit: 3621  
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Application No.: 09/351,399 ) Examiner: Reagan, J.  
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Filed: July 13, 1999 )  
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For: INFORMATION-SIGNAL PLAYBACK SYSTEM, ) Confirmation No.: 9658  
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INFORMATION-SIGNAL READING APPARATUS, )  
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INFORMATION-SIGNAL PROCESSING )  
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APPARATUS, INFORMATION-SIGNAL PLAYBACK )  
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METHOD, INFORMATION-SIGNAL READING )  
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METHOD AND INFORMATION-SIGNAL )  
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**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

In reply to the final Office Action mailed December 11, 2007, the period for reply to which extends through March 11, 2007, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of this application in light of the following remarks:

**Remarks** begin on page 2 of this paper.